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2022, Luo: mutilin

### Useful Reviews:

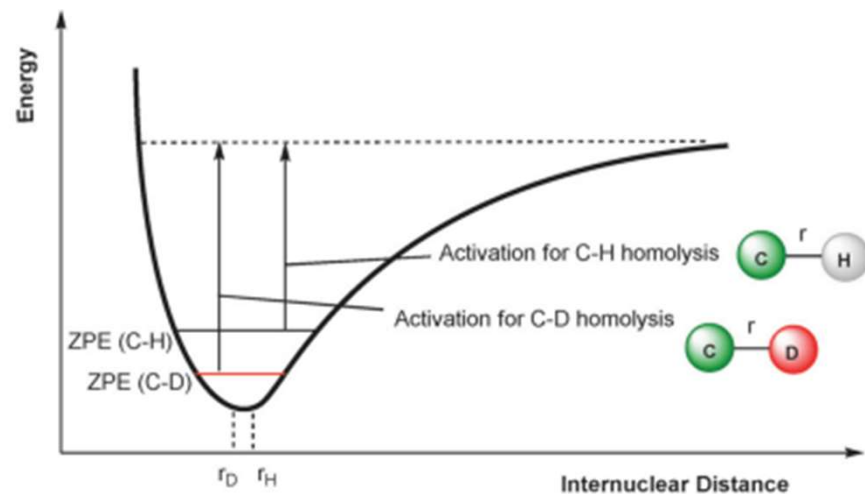
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## Introduction:



- Kinetic isotope effect (KIE) is observed in between the isotopically labelled molecules showing different reaction rates.
- Primary KIE is attributed to a bond breaking event at the C-H/C-D bond.
- Vibrational frequency is relative to reduced mass  $\mu$ 
  - For C-D, lower vibrational frequency and lower zero-point energy (ZPE)

$$\mu = \frac{m1 \cdot m2}{m1 + m2}$$

$$E_n = (n + 1)hv$$

$$\mu_{C-H} = 0.92$$

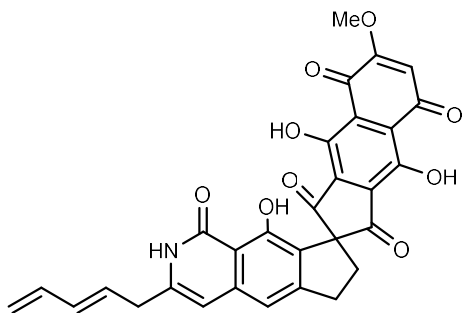
$$\mu_{C-D} = 1.71$$

$$v = \frac{1}{2\pi c} \sqrt{\frac{k}{\mu}}$$

- Secondary KIE arises when the C-H/C-D bond remains intact during the rate limiting step
  - Produced upon changes in hybridization or through involvement of hyperconjugation

# D-based KIE in Total Synthesis

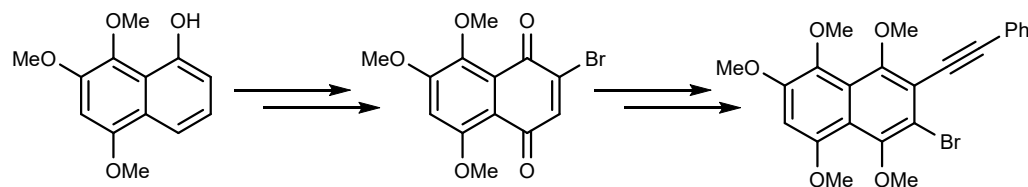
## Fridericamycin A



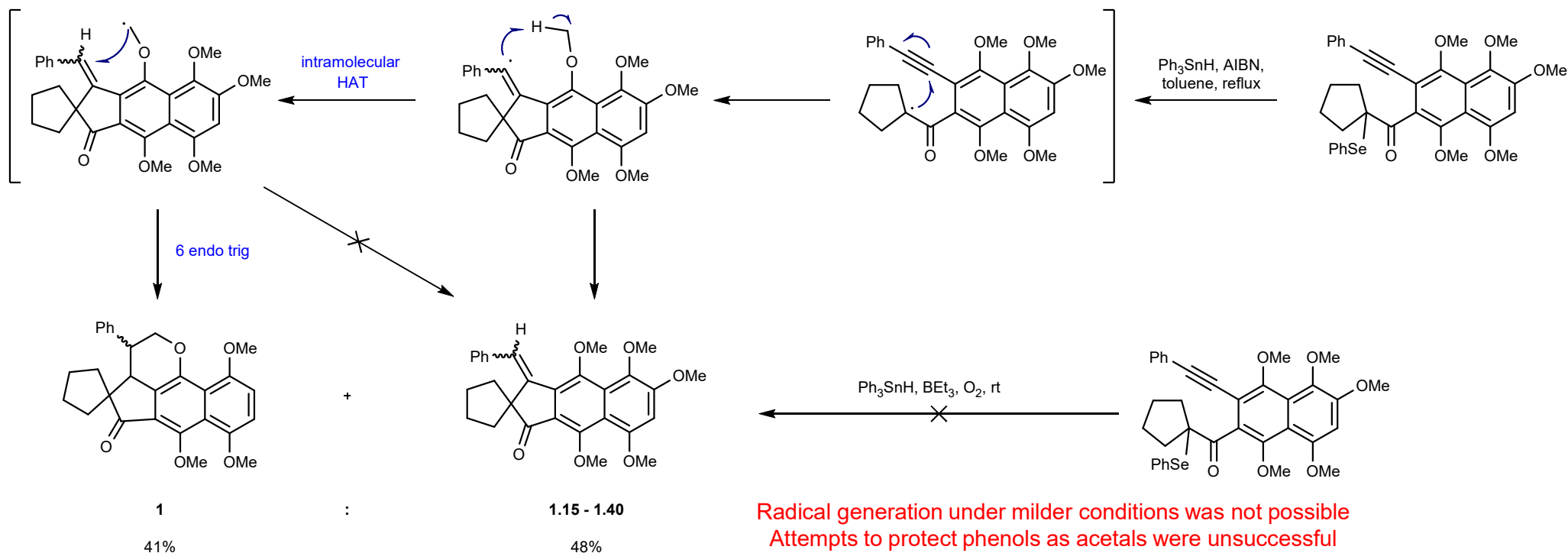
Fridericamycin A

- Fungal metabolite isolated from a strain of *Streptomyces griseus* (from a soil sample in Frederick, MD)
- Possesses antibiotic properties
- Powerful antitumor agent

## 1991, Clive:



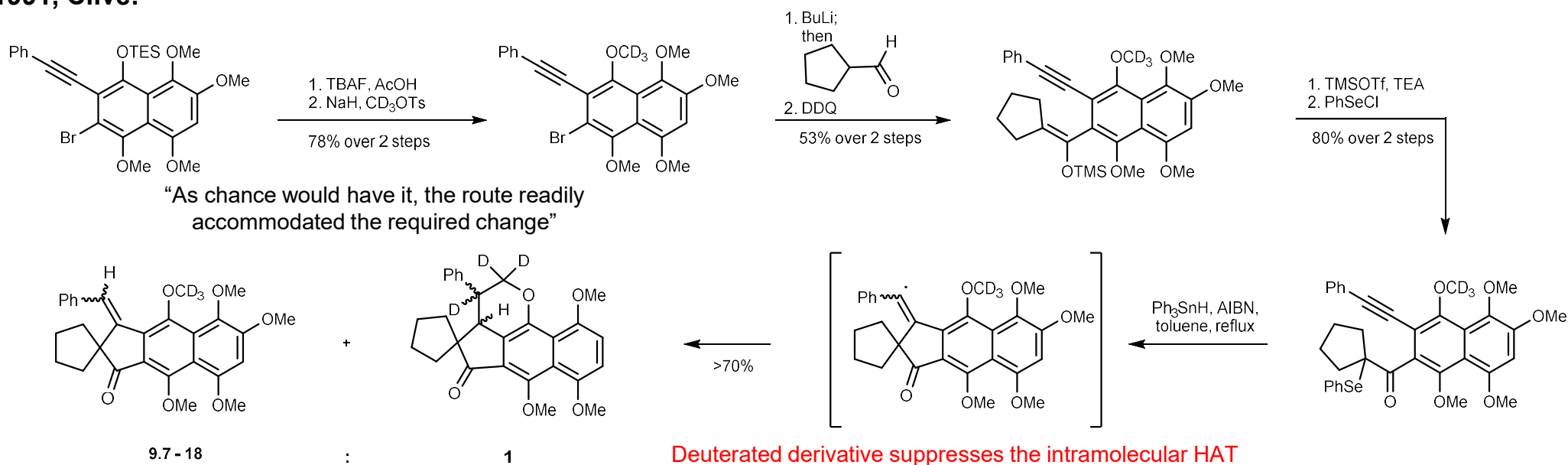
“Preparation of the bromide... proved extremely troublesome task. It was the most time-consuming part of the synthesis, and it required a resolute effort to find a convenient route.”



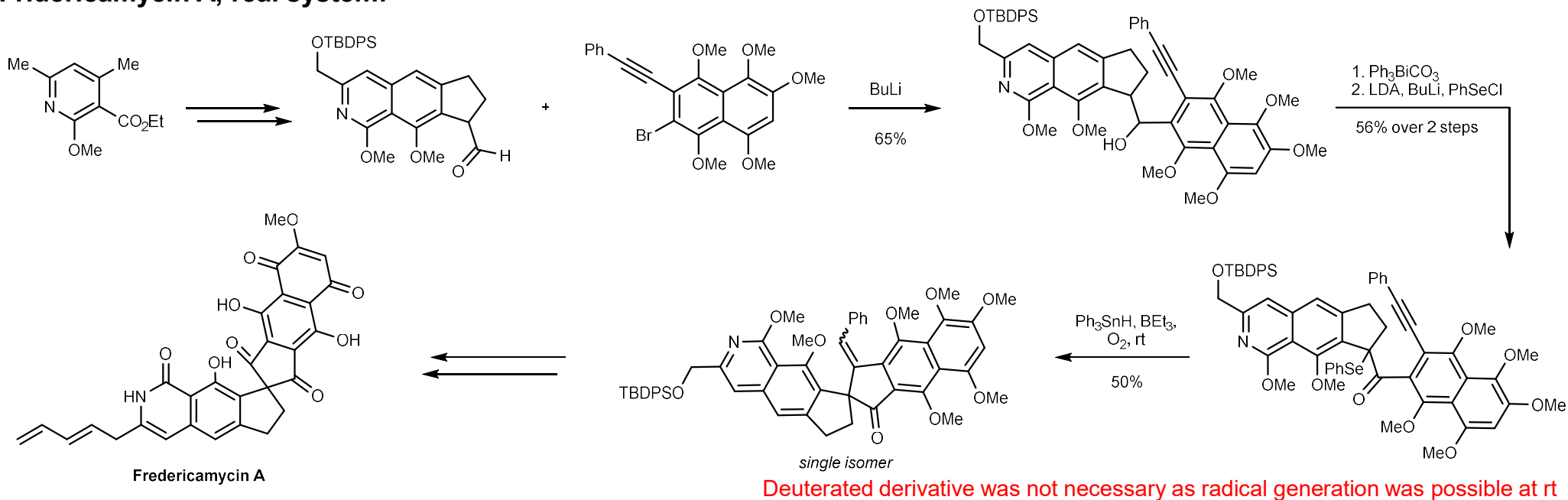
Clive, D. L. J. *J. Chem. Soc., Perkin Trans. 1*, **1991**, 1433. <https://doi.org/10.1039/P19910001433>. Clive, D. L. J. *J. Chem. Soc., Chem. Commun.*, **1991**, 1755. <https://doi.org/10.1039/C39910001755>. Clive, D. L. J. *Tetrahedron* **1993**, *49*, 7917. [https://doi.org/10.1016/S0040-4020\(01\)88016-9](https://doi.org/10.1016/S0040-4020(01)88016-9).

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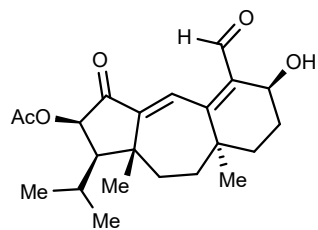
Fridericamycin A, real system:



Clive, D. L. J. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1994**, *116*, 11275. <https://doi.org/10.1021/ja00104a009>

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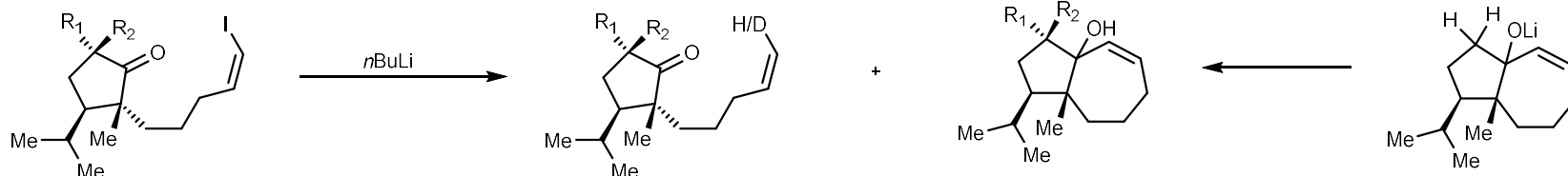
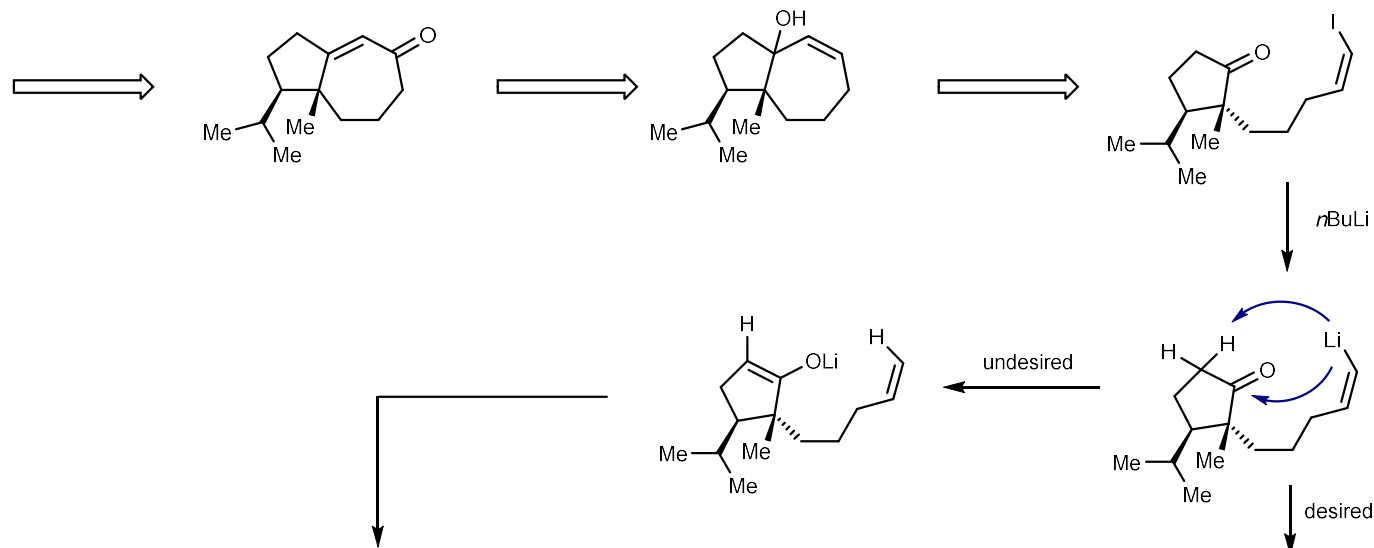
## Guanacastepene A



guanacastepene A

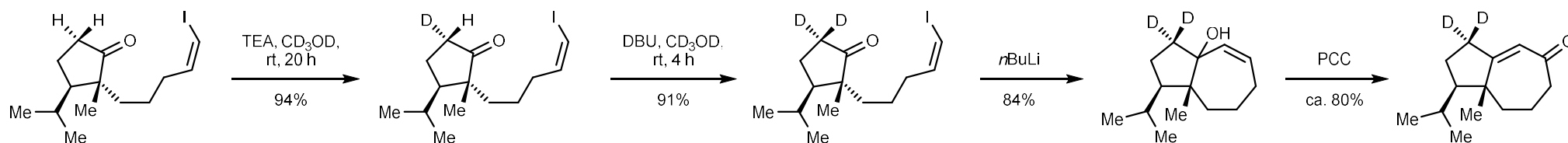
- Diterpene natural product produced by endophytic fungus in Costa Rica
- Showed activity against antibiotic-resistant bacteria and hemolytic activity against red blood cells
  - Likely due to nonspecific membrane lysis

## 2002, Danishefsky:



R <sub>1</sub> , R <sub>2</sub> =	Yield	Ratio	Yield
R <sub>1</sub> = R <sub>2</sub> = H	18%	22 : 78	65%
R <sub>1</sub> = D, R <sub>2</sub> = H	9.3%	12 : 88	71%
R <sub>1</sub> = R <sub>2</sub> = D	8.6%	9 : 91	84%

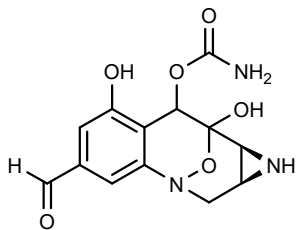
Deuterated derivative suppresses the undesired lithiation



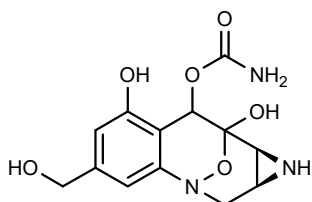
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## Aziridinomitosenes

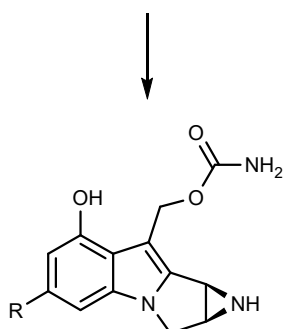
Potent antitumor activity:



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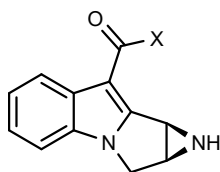


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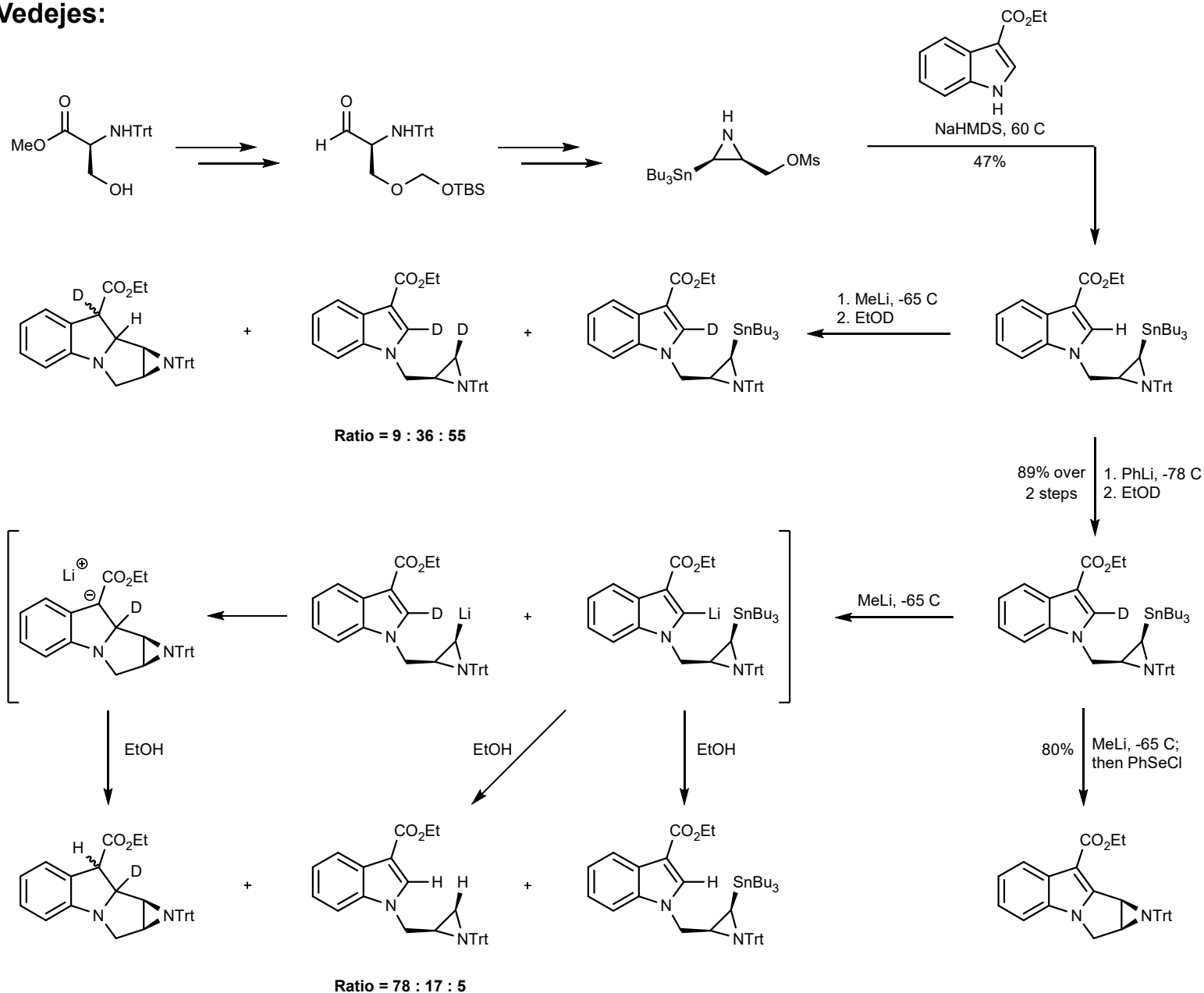


Hypothesized intermediate that can cross-link DNA

Target structure:



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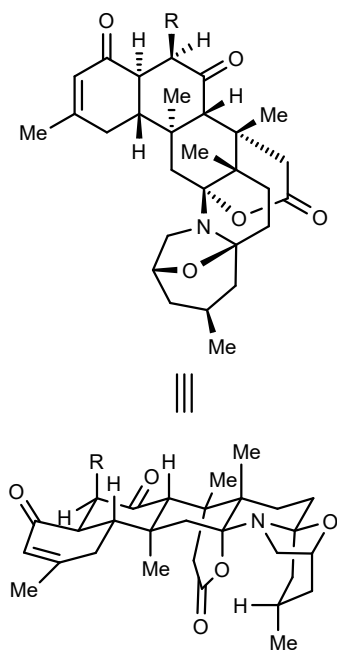


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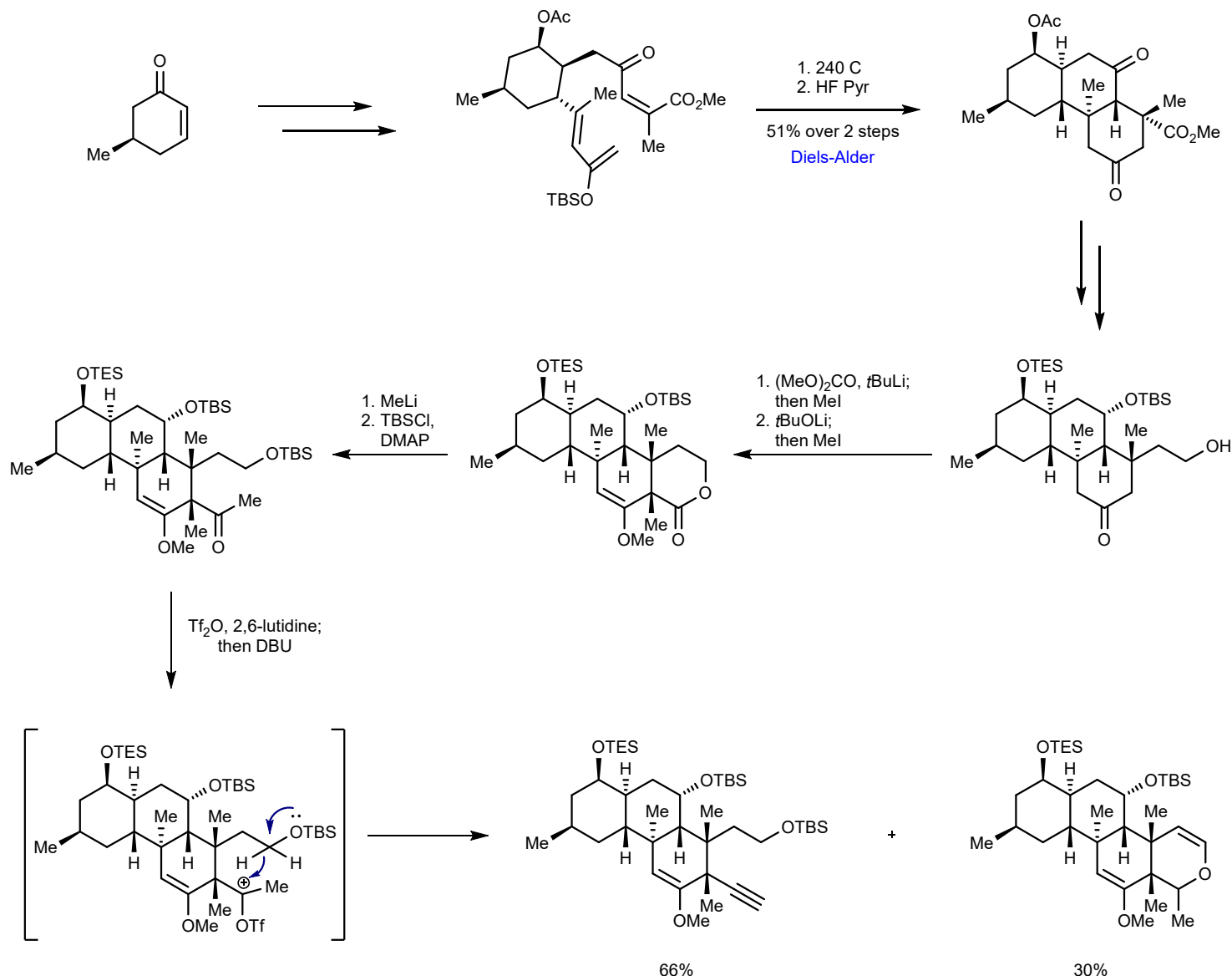
## Norzoanthamine:



R = H = Norzoanthamine  
R = Me = Zoanthamine

- Heptacyclic marine alkaloids isolated from *Zoanthus* species
- Norzoanthamine can suppress the loss of bone weight and strength in ovariectomized mice
- Zoanthamine has exhibited powerful analgesic effects as well as potent inhibitory activity toward phorbol myristate-induced inflammation
- First total synthesis: 41 steps with 3.5% overall yield (2002, Miyashita)

## 2004, Miyashita:

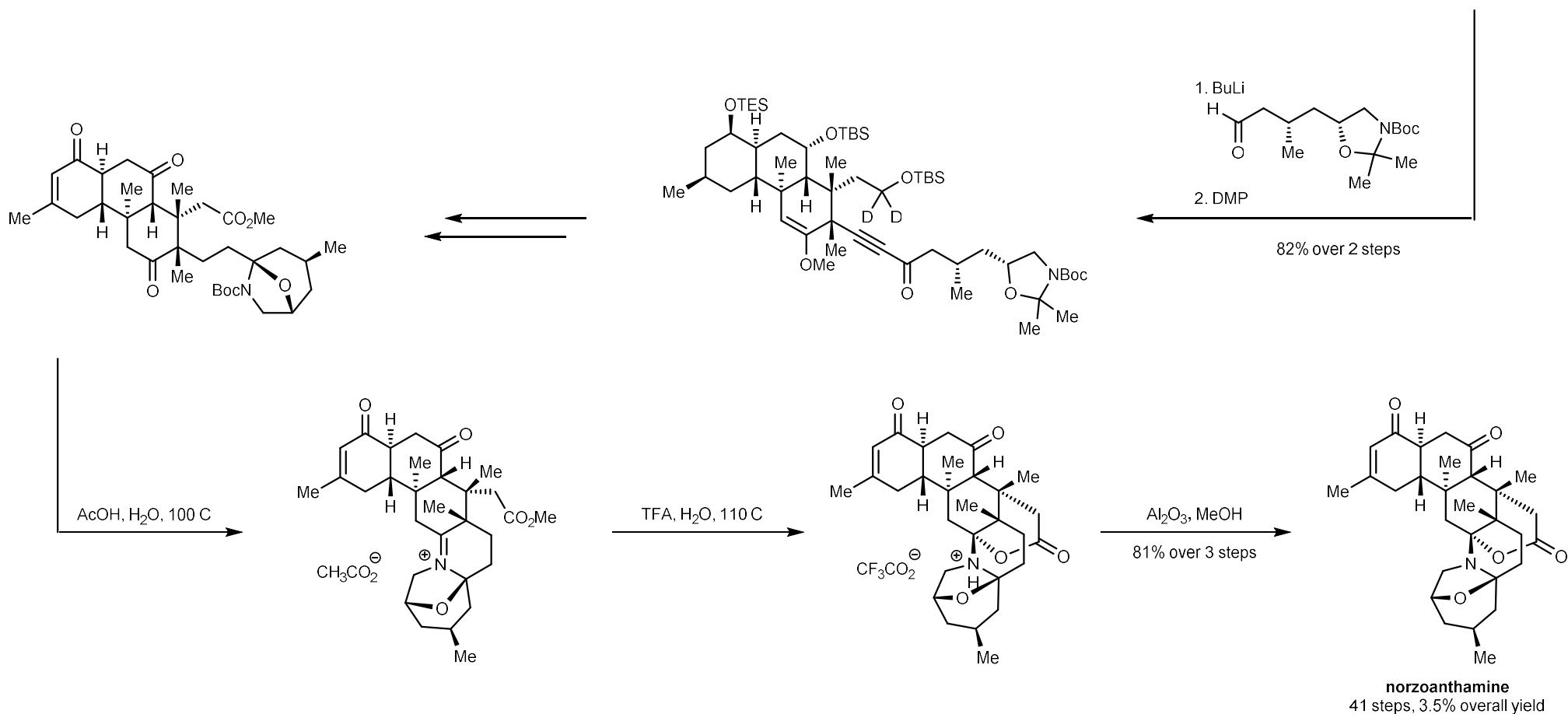
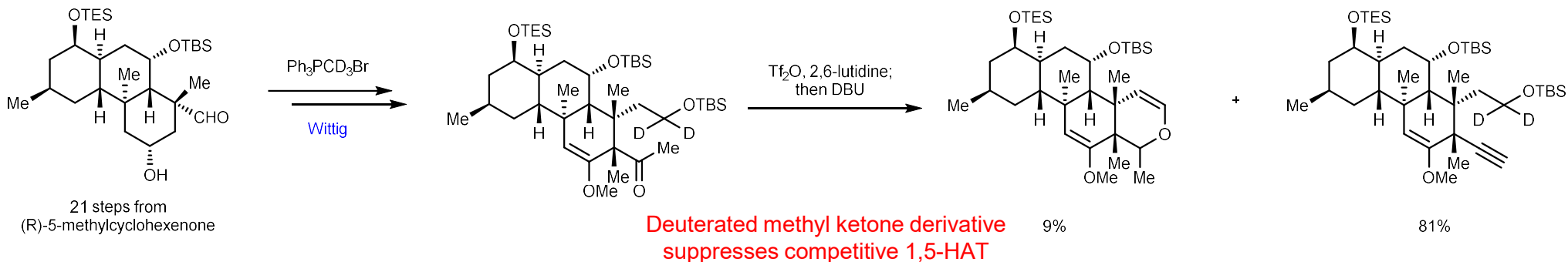


Nondeuterated methyl ketone derivative displayed competitive 1,5-HAT

Miyashita, M. *Science* **2004**, 305, 495. <https://www.science.org/doi/10.1126/science.1098851>

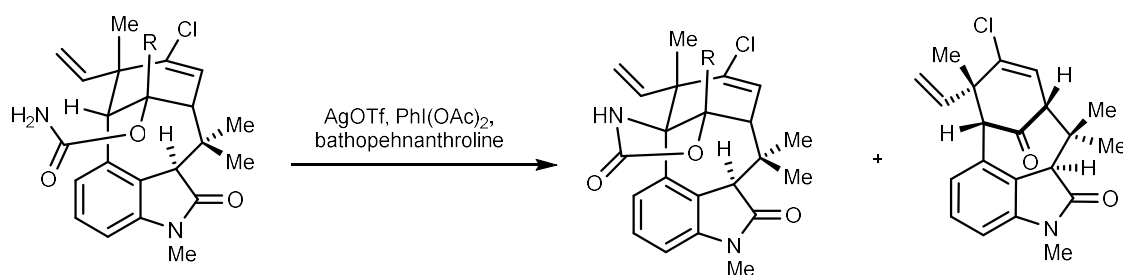
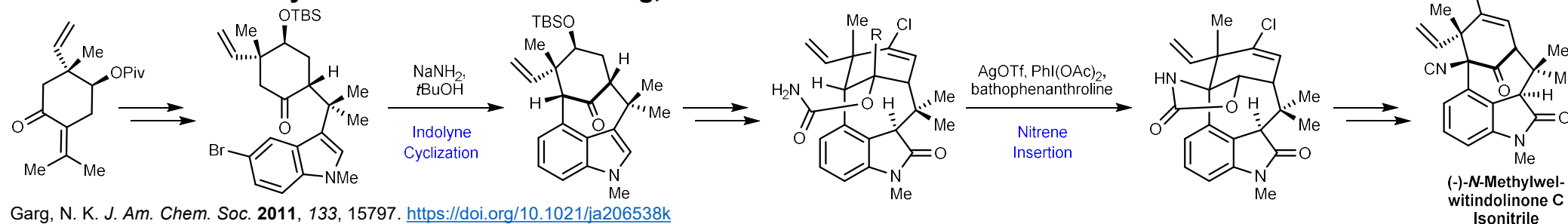
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## Norzoanthamine: 2004, Miyashita



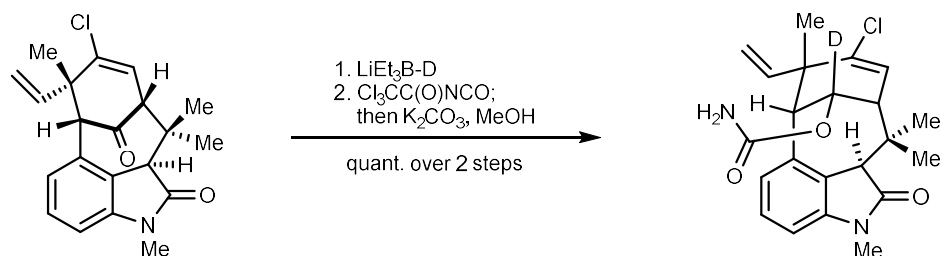
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## Welwitindolinone Isocyanates and Isonitriles: Garg, 2012



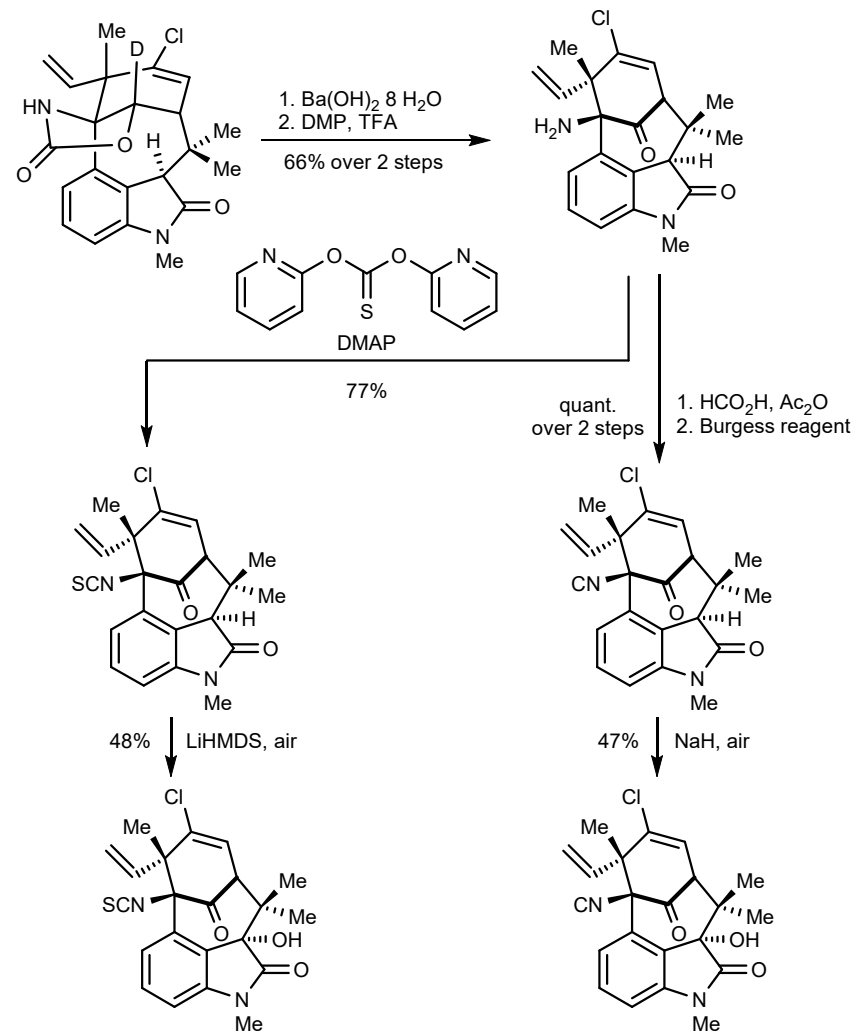
R =	Yield	Ratio	Yield
R = H	33%	1.3 : 1	25%
R = D	60%	7.5 : 1	8%

Deuterated derivative suppresses the undesired insertion of intermediate nitrene species into the C10 C-H bond



“The strategic use of a deuterium kinetic isotope effect in total synthesis is rare, and the present study marks the first use of this approach to facilitate a C-H functionalization event en route to natural products”

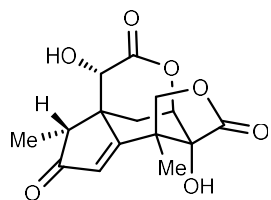
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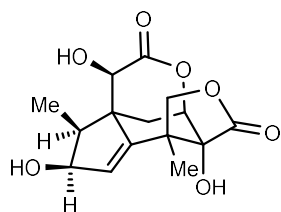


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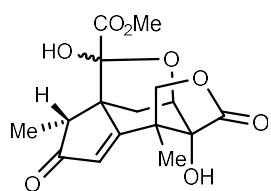
## Seco-prezizaane Sesquiterpenes



(1*R*, 10*S*)-2-oxo-3,4-dehydroneomajucin



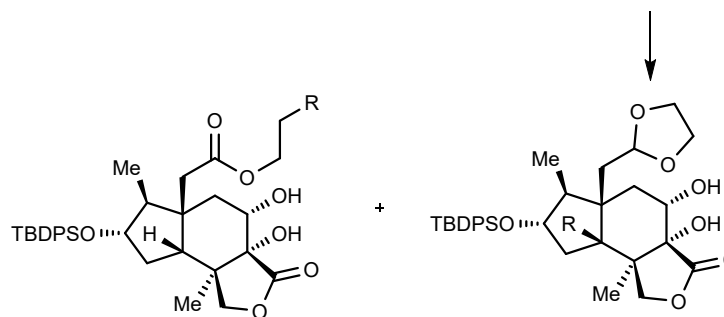
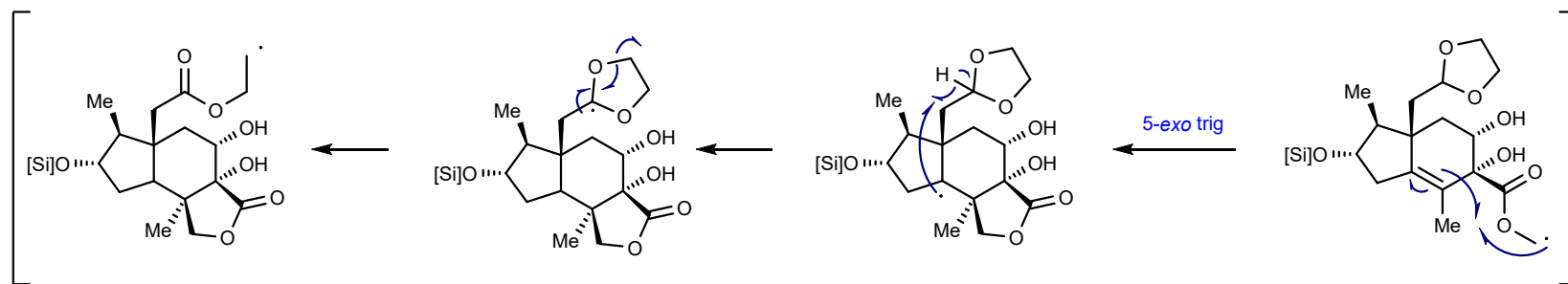
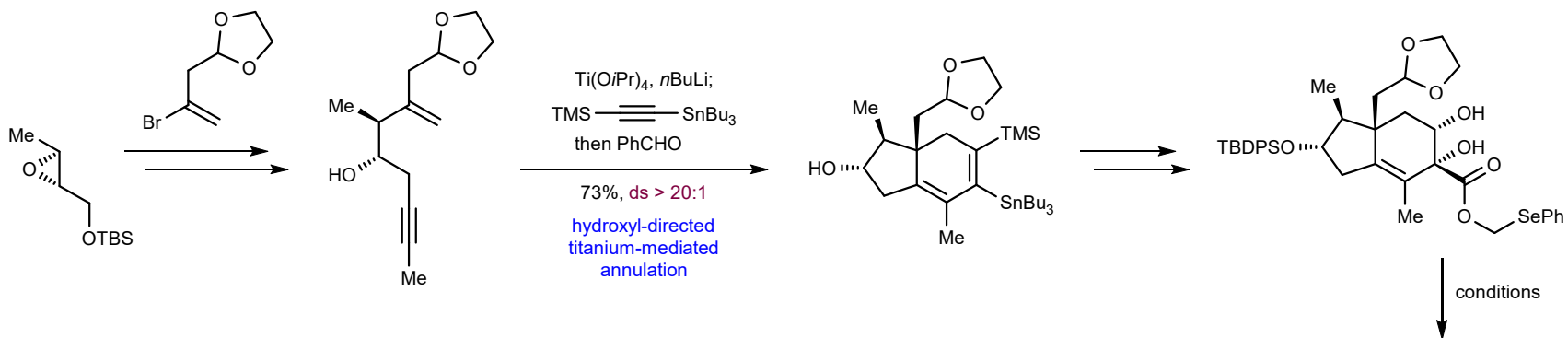
(2*S*)-2-hydroxy-3,4-dehydroneomajucin



(-)-jiadifenin

- Isolated from the dried fruit of the Chinese *Illicium majus*
- Possesses potent neurotrophic properties
- Doesn't exhibit convulsive toxicity in mice

## 2016, Micalizio:



1. Swern
  2.  $\text{NaBH}_4$
  3.  $\text{TsOH}$
- 67% from ester
- or
1. Swern
  2.  $\text{HCl}$
  3. Pinnick
  4.  $\text{NaBH}_4$ ; then  $\text{TsOH}$
- 42% from acetal

Conditions	R =	Ratio
AIBN, $\text{Bu}_3\text{SnH}$	R = H	1 : 1
AIBN, $\text{Bu}_3\text{SnD}$	R = D	1.4 : 1
AIBN, $\text{TMS}_3\text{SiH}$	R = H	4.7 : 1

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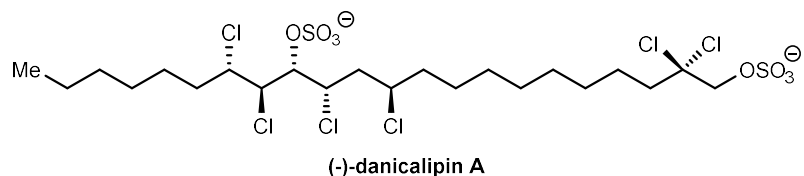
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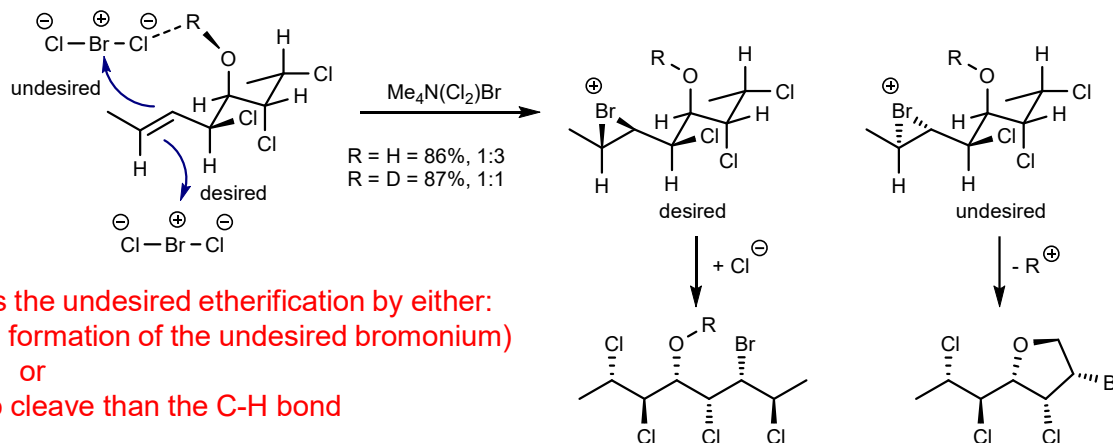
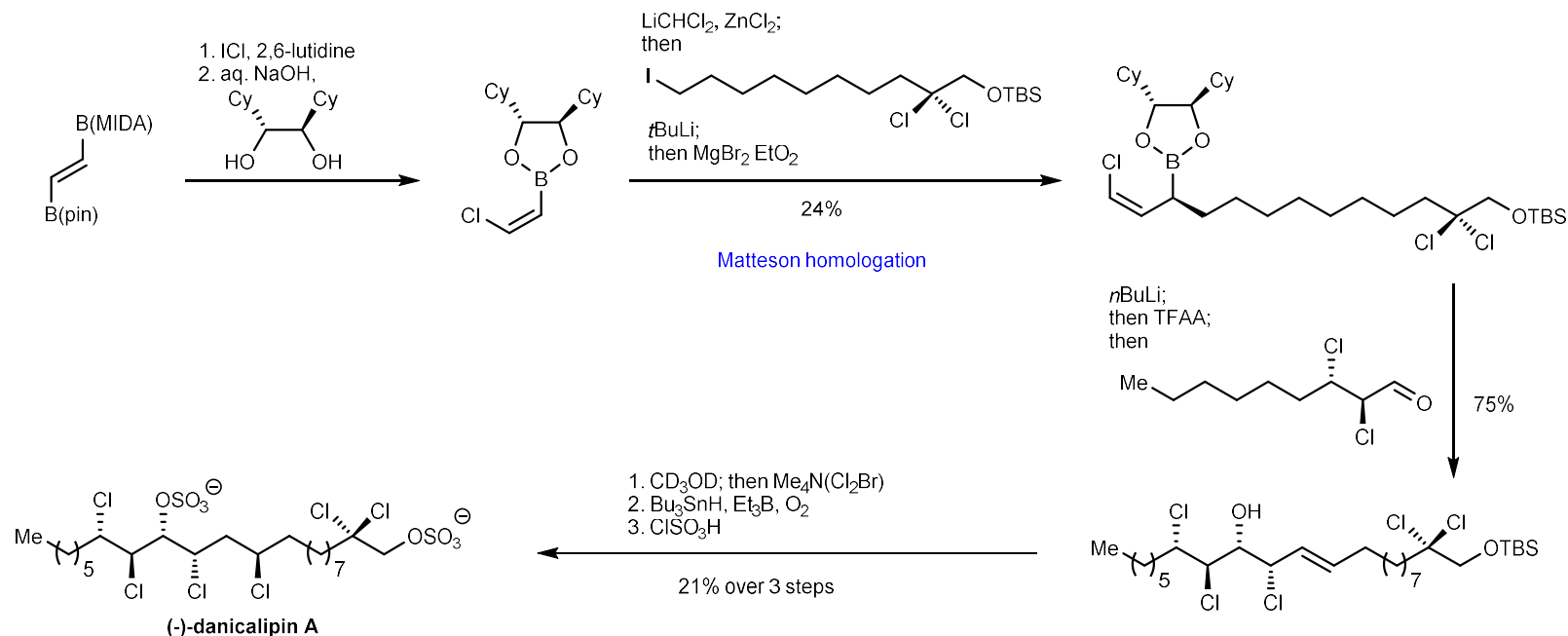
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## (-)-Danicalipin A:



- Chlorosulfolipid
- Estimated to comprise >90% of all polar lipids in the flagellar membrane of *Ochromonas danica* (freshwater algae)
- 5 reported syntheses, prior to this report
  - Most efficient: 9 (Vanderwal) and 12 (Carreira) steps

## 2016, Burns:



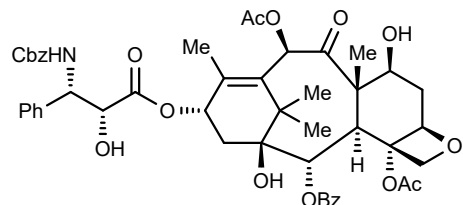
Deuterated derivative suppresses the undesired etherification by either:  
lack of hydrogen bonding (favoring formation of the undesired bromonium)

or

C-D bond is harder to cleave than the C-H bond

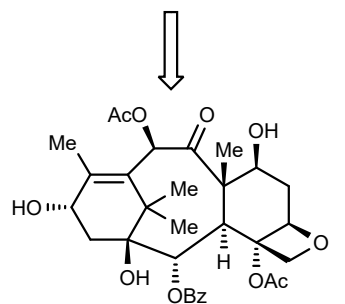
# D-based KIE in Total Synthesis

## Taxol, Baran 2020:

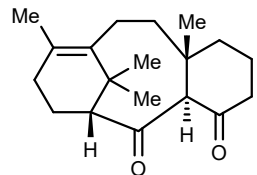


Taxol

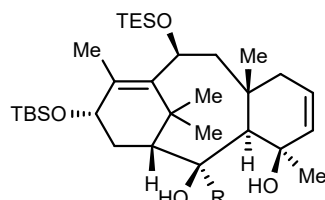
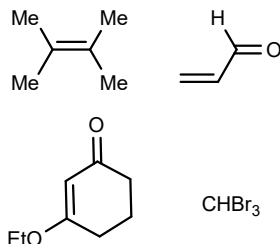
“the C2  $\alpha$ -deuterium atom, which served as the smallest ‘protecting group’ that kinetically guided the C1 oxidation”



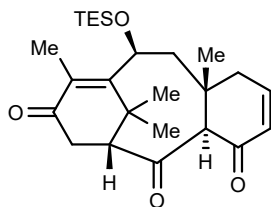
oxidase phase



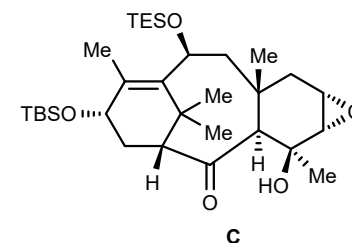
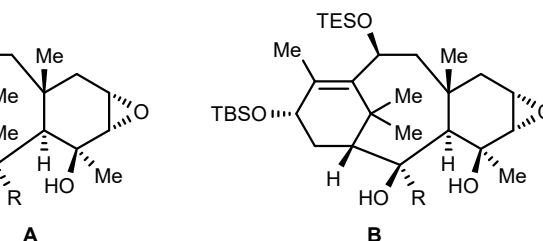
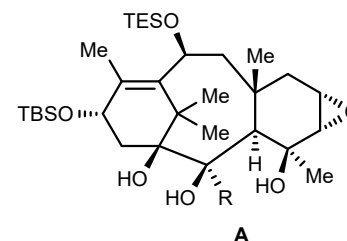
cyclase phase



1. MeMgBr;  
then DIBAL;  
then LAH or LAD  
2. NaHMDS, TBSCl



conditions



Deuterated derivative  
suppresses the undesired  
oxidation

R =	Conditions	Results (% yield A/B/C)
R = H	DMDO in acetone (0.09 M)	25% / 45% / 10%
R = D	DMDO in acetone (0.09 M)	9% / 12% / 37%
R = D	DMDO in DCM (0.21M)	29% / 11% / 12%
R = D	DMDO in CHCl <sub>3</sub> (0.19 M)	34% / 15% / 10%
R = D	DMDO in CHCl <sub>3</sub> (0.30 M)	49% / 8% / 11%